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WEATHER WISE.

What May Be Expected Here During the Next Thirty-six Hours.

THE LEADER CODES

White star—Frost.
Blue—Rain or snow.
Red—Thunder—will warm up.
Black—Thunder—will cool.
If black is shown no change will be.
The above forecasts are made for a period of thirty-six hours, ending at 6 o'clock tomorrow evening.



LARGEST IN THE CITY.

If you have an item of news, please call up THE LEADER, Telephone 33, and send it in.

All matter for publication must be handed in before 9 o'clock in the morning of each day.



If you have friends visiting you, or if you are going away on a visit, please drop us a note to that effect.

Judge G. S. Wall is home from New York.

Mr. W. N. Stockton was a business visitor to Ashland this week.

Miss Hattie Delany is the guest of Miss Elizabeth Woodford of Paris.

Mr. James May of Mayfield leaves Monday to visit relatives at Joplin, Mo.

Mr. B. W. Goodman is visiting her father, Mr. W. W. Lamer of Aurora, Ind.

Miss Lula Best of the county was this week the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Miller at Millersburg.

Miss Anna McDougle has returned from a visit of several months in Pennsylvania and West Virginia.

Miss Edna and Flora Hunter and Elizabeth Best of the county are visiting Miss Lizzie Stirling of Mt. Sterling.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bruce and little daughter, Alice, arrived today from Covington to visit her, and Mrs. J. N. Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Barbour Russell, Mr. John C. Kackley and Miss Marie Andrews Storde of Lewinsburg are attending the Mt. Olive Fair today.

See Hordich's New Fall Goods.

THE BEE HIVE Dress Goods and Silks

Our new Dress Goods and Silks are now on display. All the new weaves in Dress Goods. New Camel's Hair Plaids, Vanadia Cloths, Crepons, etc., from a loc. half wool to the finest grades. We show the largest and most complete line ever seen in Maysville.

Silks for Waists, Silks for Dresses, Silks for Skirts.

SPECIAL—Fifty Silk Waist Patterns in the new corded effects, worth \$1 per yard, as a starter of the season will sell same at 79c. a yard.

Our New Skirts and Petticoats are here

ROSENAU BROS.,
KINGS OF LOW PRICES. PROPRIETORS BEE HIVE

Glove and Ribbon Sale at Hodich's.

Pure gloves, all kinds, at Chenoweth's Drugstore.

Miss Lula Best will leave the first of October for Cuba, where she will teach in a school.

Dr. W. H. Anderson of Sardis has taken charge of his recently-purchased drugstore at Mt. Olive.

A party of colored people from this city and Ripley will give a concert and cakewalk at Dover tonight.

The National headquarters of the G. A. R., which have been located at Cincinnati some time, will be transferred to New York.

Mr. Earl Ferguson of Paris and Miss Sallie May Anderson of Georgetown will marry October 19th in the Baptist Church in Georgetown.

Mr. John Lawson May of Huntington, W. Va., and Miss Mary Taylor Champ, daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Champ of Millersburg, will wed in November.

The Covington City Council has passed a curfew ordinance. Children under 15 must be home by nine o'clock or be arrested and fined from \$10 to \$20.

The demand for rural free mail delivery has been so great that the appropriation of \$100,000 has been exhausted, and no more new routes can be established at present.

Joseph S. Schwartz, a farmer of Fleming county, died a voluntary patient in a lunatic asylum in the United States Court at Covington. His liabilities are \$1,800 and assets \$300.

Mr. Dan Layman of Donerail, Fayette county, who has a number of relatives in this city and county, was married a few days ago at Frankfort to Miss Maggie Wiley of Wiley Station.

As an external liniment of most wonderful character and of great power, Ballard's Snow Liniment is not equaled by any other in the world. Price 25c and 50c. J. Jas. Wood & Son.

THE LEADER leads in all, and is the favorite paper of the people.

Mr. Walter Fischer, druggist at the Purity Pharmacy, left today for Cincinnati, where he will shortly wed Miss Anna Lowe. After a trip to New York Mr. Fischer will return with his bride and take up his residence on East Second street.

Mr. Orlando P. Cox has let the contract for a modern residence, to be built on his lot on East Second street between the homes of Mr. S. A. Shanklin and Major Thomas J. Chenoweth. The Ohio Valley Lumber Company has the contract, and work will begin Monday.

The Epworth League of the M. E. Church, South, will entertain on Tuesday evening, September 19th, from 7:30 to 10 p. m., at the residence of Rev. J. O. A. Vaughn, No. 180 West Second street. A select program of music, recitations and readings has been prepared.

The National Council of the Improved Order of Redmen will meet in Milwaukee next year the second Tuesday in September. The Council decided to establish a newspaper organ of the order, placing the management in the hands of the Great Chief as a Board of Managers.

The Davies County Grand Jury indicted the L. and N. Illinois Central and Louisville, New Orleans and Vicksburg Railroad for violating the Separate Coach Law by not providing equal accommodations for white and colored passengers. Eight other corporations were indicted for failing to use the word "incorporated" in their advertisements.

Mr. William W. Morris of Louisville left yesterday for Detroit, Mich., as a representative at the seventy-third annual meeting of the Sovereign Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows. Mr. Morris was a representative of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky since 1874, so that with this year he has upon his second quarter of a century of service as Grand Representative. He is Chairman of the Committee on the State of the Order, the leading committee of the Sovereign Grand Lodge.

The Ladies.

The pleasant effect and perfect safety with which ladies may use Syrup of Figs, under all conditions, makes it their favorite remedy. To get the true and genuine article, look for the name of the California Fig Syrup Co. printed near the bottom of the package. For sale by all druggists.

THE WOMEN AND CHILDREN.

Their Wants Have Been Looked After at the Coming Carnival.

At the Ohio State Fair recently held at Columbus there appeared Fred Lark's Great Arabian Horse and Dog Show, which was visited by patrons who pronounced it a wonderful exhibition. His collection of animals astonished the crowds by their marvelous features and intelligence, doing nearly everything but vociferate. Mr. James W. Fitzgerald, who is one of the party of Maysville merchants who are behind the Carnival and Horse Show to be held at the Fairgrounds next week, put himself in communication with Mr. Locke, and the result is an engagement of this popular amusement for that week. It is to be seen twice daily, afternoon and night, for the three days next week. Twenty-five cents is a very low admission and the line of attractions, the liberal premiums, the excellent music, the races, races and novelties certainly should be an equal to draw a very large crowd of visitors to our city. Let it be emphasized that at night are lamps are to be used for lighting the track and amphitheater, so there can be no cessation of pleasure. Imagine, if you please, how splendidly peculiar, how originally original, how bewilderingly beautiful will be the night shows. It is a novelty, a unique idea, which will herald the ability of Maysvillians and cause hundreds to come who can't help but appreciate this daring device to be the first to use the night for what before was one of the impossible things. Thursday night, at 10:30 p. m., the Fair bag and coat news afternoon and night 1st Saturday, September 23rd, 23d, which dates fall in next week. Remember now.

Fresh Operators at Hopper's.

Glove and Ribbon Sale at Hodich's.

The W. C. T. U. State Convention meets at Owensboro from September 21 to 26.

Miss Vinnie Bridges was the past week the guest of her friend, Miss May Money, at Sapp, Fleming county.

The report of the State National Bank appears in another column showing individual deposits of \$410,000 34.

Judge and Mrs. Milton J. Durham of Lexington have gone to Detroit, Mich., to attend the 30th annual convention of the U. S. O. P. O. S. E. of the condition of the city, its opportunities for working-men and the business interests generally.

Mr. R. M. Wallington of the Sixth Ward has for the past three weeks been at Kansas City, Mo. Mr. Wallington writes The Leader that the condition of the city, its opportunities for working-men and the business interests generally.

Just received, the most select line of Cut Glass, Bricolage and Sterling Silverware ever brought to this city—all new designs. Prices well below asked for inferior goods. All my goods are bought direct from manufacturers and not through Cincinnati jobbers.

MURPHY, the Jeweler.

For Rent.

The residence recently occupied by Major J. H. Brown, No. 121 West Second street. Apply to Mrs. J. V. Davis.

POINTS ON POYNTZ

Gov. John Young Brown Hot After Our Own Charlie.

PLEASED WITH HIS RECEPTION

Covington Commonwealth.

A representative of The Commonwealth has had the pleasure of an interview with John Young Brown, the giant standard-bearer of Democracy.

Governor Brown had just returned from his Maysville trip, and though tired out and hoarse, greeted The Commonwealth man cordially and paid the paper a gratifying tribute for its uniform adherence to the cause of the people. He was in excellent spirits and not a spark of his old-time fire has departed from him.

"I think the best meeting of the year was that at Maysville," said he. "It is the home of Charlie Poyntz, one of the State Election Commissioners and a member of the famous Committee on Credentials of the Louisville Convention. I was introduced to a magnificent audience by James H. Hall, President of the Hall Ploy Works, and the reception I had from his hearers warmed the very cockles of my heart. The Goebel Election Law, of course, formed a leading feature of my speech, and one point I made in that regard caught the vast audience immediately. It was this," said the Governor: "An officer at election is disqualified from acting if he has made a wager on the result of the election at which he is to officiate. The law on the subject is mandatory: he disqualifies himself the moment he lays a wager on the election, and the proper authorities are compelled to remove him when the matter has been officially brought to their notice.

"Now, then," said I to the audience, "that being the fact with reference to an election official it is to act at only one of the 130 and 132 precincts, how should it be with one of the three election officials vested with power over the entire result of the election in the entire State? How should it be with one of the three gentlemen, Messrs. Poyntz, Forst and Mills, whose judgment on all matters pertaining to the regularity of the election is the final word in the State? How should it be with one of the three election officials vested with power over the entire result of the election in the entire State? How should it be with one of the three gentlemen, Messrs. Poyntz, Forst and Mills, whose judgment on all matters pertaining to the regularity of the election is the final word in the State? How should it be with one of the three election officials vested with power over the entire result of the election in the entire State? How should it be with one of the three gentlemen, Messrs. 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THE COMMONWEALTH.
BANK STOCK.

The Holders Must Pay the Tax the Same as Other Personal Property, Says State Auditor Stone.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 16.—Under a recent decision of the courts it has been held that national banks could not be taxed as banks, but it is held that the stock in the hands of private persons may be taxed as other personal property is taxed. It is known now that it is the purpose of Auditor Stone to insist on this tax on stock in national banks, and steps will shortly be taken to enforce the collection by due process of law. In other states the banks have thought it best to pay for the stockholders as a matter of accommodation to the state and to the stockholders. No arrangement of the kind has been made in Kentucky, but Auditor Stone has said that if the banks would not pay the taxes he would see that the individual stockholders did.

CHARGED WITH BIGAMY.

Herbert M. Rogers, prominent young Louisville man, arrested on the instance of his first wife.
 LEXINGTON, Ky., Sept. 16.—Herbert M. Rogers, a prominent young man of Louisville, was arrested here Friday night on a charge of bigamy preferred by his wife No. 1, who lives at New Castle, Pa. Rogers was arrested after an exciting chase of 20 miles in a buggy. He admitted that he had been married twice, but said that he was of the opinion that he had secured a divorce from his first wife, who is said to be a society belle of New Castle, but now is a resident of Pittsburgh. His second wife was a Miss Lee, of Shelbyville, Ky., to whom he was married in August. He claims to be en route to Pittsburgh to secure evidence of his divorce when arrested.

The Funds Can't Find.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Sept. 16.—Attorney General Taylor was in Frankfort again Friday, and decided that \$100,000 of the fund for the maintenance of the agricultural bureau can be properly used to make an exhibit at the exposition in New Orleans next month. The commissioner appointed by Gov. Bradley to get up the exhibit will go to work at once. Mayors Rhinock, of Covington; Simms, of Lexington; Doherty, of Frankfort; Small, of Owensboro; and Hon. James F. Backner, of Louisville, compose the board.

Indured Miners to Strike.

LONDON, Ky., Sept. 16.—G. W. Purcell, member of the national board of United Mine Workers, was arrested Friday on a warrant by the operators of seven mines now on strike at Altamont and Pittsburgh, Ky., charging him with inducing the miners to strike while under contract. He says his board will fight the case in the highest courts. He is from Terre Haute, Ind. The strike continues, the Lyle mine having gone out Friday, affecting 1,600 miners.

The Douglas Strike.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 16.—The nomination for the Douglas stage of \$5,000 for 212 trotters, the event of the fall trotting meet, have been announced. The race is on the card for September 26, the second day of the meet. This year's entries are Hum, bolt Maid, Sarah S., Charley Horn, Surp, Peter the Great, Lord Vincent, W. H. C. Copeland, Bonatella, Tur, for Chimes, Prince of India and Dr. Leek.

Refused a Pardon.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Sept. 16.—Gov. Bradley has refused to pardon Convict Samuel Kent, convicting serving life sentence under the habitual criminal act. Pardon was asked on account of old age and ill health and a petition for clemency was presented by W. McElwain, of Covington.

Proposals for Carrying the Mail.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—The post office department Friday sent out an advertisement for proposals for carrying the mail in screen wagons, mail messenger, transfer and mail station service for a term of four years, from July 1 next, in the cities of Louisville, Lexington and Paducah, Ky.

Coal Company's First Accident.

HARBOURVILLE, Ky., Sept. 16.—The East Jellico Coal company met with their first serious accident. James Mosley, in turning over a coal car, fell and was run over, sustaining serious injuries. From which it is thought he will die.

Jumped Into a Well.

ASHLAND, Ky., Sept. 16.—Mrs. J. M. Ross, aged 72, of Canawarburg, committed suicide Friday morning by jumping into a well. She made a similar attempt Thursday. She lost a child some weeks ago.

Victim Reported Dying.
 WINDYBERRY, Ky., Sept. 16.—Boone Henry Thursday evening shot a man of the name of Kassick, who resides near Hazel Green. It is reported that he is now dying.

Hon. B. J. Peters Dying.
 MR. STERLING, Ky., Sept. 16.—Ex-Chief Justice B. J. Peters, aged 94, passed away at his friends and relatives, is slowly, yet surely, passing away. His demise is hourly expected.

SPRINGFIELD, Ky., Sept. 16.—Samuel McGraw has been appointed steward of the insane asylum at Athens.

THE BUYERS' GUIDE.
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 YOUR CHOICE OF EIGHT DISC DRILLS COMPLETE, ONLY \$45.
 With Grass Seeder and Chain Covers.
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 From the wisdom and patriotism which he has brought to the discharge of his public duties, we desire our confidence in the policies adopted and the measures taken by the President in the management of our foreign affairs. We believe that the policies of the administration in Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines are wise and patriotic and support until these objects are fully attained. We believe our administration has maintained the principles and policies proclaimed by the last administration. We believe our administration has maintained the principles and policies proclaimed by the last administration. We believe our administration has maintained the principles and policies proclaimed by the last administration.

REPUBLICAN PLATFORM.
 The Republicans of Kentucky, in Convention assembled, make the following declaration of principles:
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FRENCH CABINET.

Premier Waldeck-Rousseau Has Promised to Propose a Pardon for Dreyfus.

APPEAL FOR REVISION TO BE ANNOUNCED

This Will Leave the Ground Clear for the Government to Take Immediate Steps for Pardon.

This Clemency Will Not Annul the Civil and Military Consequences of the Verdict—When Liberated Dreyfus Will Live in South France.

LONDON, Sept. 18.—The Paris correspondent of the London Daily News says:

The premier, M. Waldeck-Rousseau, has promised definitely to propose a pardon for Dreyfus at next Tuesday's cabinet council.

LONDON, Sept. 16.—M. Debiowitz, the Paris correspondent of the Times, says:

"I learn that Capt. Dreyfus will shortly withdraw his appeal for a revision of the Rennes trial, for which he will leave the ground clear for the government to take immediate steps to pardon him. This pardon will not annul the civil and military consequences of the verdict and he will, therefore, no longer belong to the army."

"There is nothing, however, to prevent him from applying to the court of cassation to quash the sentence, whenever the new fact required by law is produced. When liberated he will settle in the south of France, as the members of his family do not wish to expose him to such a demonstration of sympathy abroad as might be used against him by his adversaries at home."

WILL FORM A NEW PARTY.

It Will Be Upon a Platform Around Which All Old Revolutionary Organizations of Cuba Can Rally.

HAVANA, Sept. 16.—Gualberto Gomez says he has no intention of joining the Cuban national league or the Cuban national party, but will soon form a new party upon a platform around which all the old revolutionary organizations can and will rally. "In the event of Americans declaring Cuba independent," he said Friday, "I think Gen. Maximo Gomez is likely to be elected president as he has a large backing. He would not, however, remain long in that position. He is a tyrant and overbearing, and the people of Cuba would not endure the injustice which would certainly result under his administration. He has the backing of the peace party now for the simple reason that it is not generally realized by his supporters that the party which will have the support of the revolutionary elements of the men who did the fighting and who understand Maximo Gomez. The two parties are absolutely incompatible."

Cubans who know Gualberto Gomez say that he will rely principally upon the colored vote and that when he talks about the men who did the fighting he refers to the negroes, who undoubtedly constituted the greater part of the army. It is obvious that the present necessity of union has thrown men like Quintin Bandera into the arms of the Cuban National League, but when the split comes on account of the domineering nature of Maximo Gomez, then, according to the followers of Gualberto Gomez, the latter, having clean hands with regard to the Cuban national party and the Cuban national league, the backers of Maximo Gomez will be in a position to say that he has not compromised, but has always followed the same course and always upheld the rights and claims of those who did the fighting, namely, the negroes.

Printing house on fire. LINCOLN, Neb., Sept. 16.—Fire broke out at 1:30 Saturday morning in the Jacob North printing house, a three-story and basement brick, containing an immense amount of printing machinery and the home of many publications. The North building will be a total loss. A high wind is blowing from the south, and if the flames cross the alley to the Masonic temple, an entire block of solid business house is threatened.

Surrendered him off. JACKSON, Miss., Sept. 16.—Charles O. Summers, for whom detectives have been hunting for five years, surrendered himself at the penitentiary Friday. Summers was convicted in 1893 of robbing the Southern Express Co. of \$5,000, escaped once and was captured in San Francisco. In 1894 he escaped again and has since been at liberty.

Only One Case at Miami. MIAMI, Fla., Sept. 16.—The board of health, after a house to house canvass, has announced that there has been no case of yellow fever here since the one imported from Key West ten days ago. The general health conditions are exceptionally good.

Thirty New Cases at Key West. KEY WEST, Fla., Sept. 16.—There have been 20 new cases of yellow fever in the past 24 hours. One death has been reported.

DID NOT TAKE PLACE.

William J. Bryan Refused to Enter Into a Debate With Bourke Cochran at the Transvaal Conference.

CHICAGO, Sept. 16.—The exciting joint debate looked for between William J. Bryan and Bourke Cochran on trusts did not take place Friday night. Central music hall was packed with an eager audience but the people present had content themselves without the oratory of the famous Nebraskan, who, however, occupied a seat on the platform.

Mr. Bryan reached Central music hall early in the evening. He went direct to a room upstairs where he was greeted by Chairman Franklin Field, Congressman Gaines, Ralph M. Basley and other members of the programme committee of the civic federation conference on trusts.

Mr. Bryan surprised the committee by declining to speak at the night session. "With W. J. Bryan Cochran is in accordance with the programme previously arranged," Mr. Bryan explained that he did not wish to let the impression go out that he was to enter into a debate with Mr. Cochran. "For that reason he said he would not speak with Mr. Cochran at the same session. Mr. Cochran was sent for and he and Mr. Bryan discussed the situation. The committee understood that Mr. Cochran was to have an address on the same evening. If the committee understood that impression from the conversation he had with them over the long distance telephone Thursday he said they misunderstood him. Mr. Cochran was to have the signal for a discussion with the noted Nebraskan and offered to flip a coin to determine who should have the privilege of delivering the closing address. Mr. Bryan would accept this proposition. Mr. Cochran then agreed to appear at any time the committee desired. The programme was then changed to meet Mr. Bryan's wishes. Mr. Bryan said he was anxious to address the conference and repeated that his only reason for refusing the programme was to avoid any indication of a public debate with Mr. Cochran."

Mr. Bryan will speak at Saturday's session. Though disappointed in failing to see such a spectacle as Bryan and Cochran pitted against each other the audience, nevertheless, enjoyed a rare treat, as Mr. Cochran was at his best and his speech was punctuated with frequent and prolonged applause. When Mr. Bryan made his appearance at the entrance, it was the signal for tremendous cheering, which lasted until the Nebraskan had taken his seat on the speaker's stand.

Trainmen turned on Death. NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., Sept. 16.—A freight train on the Missouri Pacific Friday ran over a bridge which was on fire, eight miles south of this city. The bridge gave way, and the engine, followed by 20 cars, plunged into the ditch. Engineer Gilliam, brakeman Foster, and fireman Miller's homes were burned to death in the creek.

Gen. He Is Reported Dead. WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—Gen. Harry Heth, the famous confederate leader, who has been ill at his home here since last December, is reported dying. It was thought when he was first stricken last winter that death would ensue, but his remarkable vitality has kept him up till now.

The Pope Will Write a Letter. ROME, Sept. 16.—The pope, while receiving 50 pilgrims from Toulouse, France, Friday afternoon, was expected to address a letter to the French nation urging an immediate pacification for the sake of humanity, and so as to not compromise the success of the Paris exposition.

Savannah Quarantined. SAVANNAH, Ga., Sept. 16.—The city council Friday night declared a quarantine against New Orleans, effective Saturday morning, on account of yellow fever. Parties coming to Savannah must have health certificates.

A Suspicious Case at New Orleans. NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 16.—The state board of health announces one suspicious case next door to one of the convalescent cases. The neighborhood was isolated some time ago and the matter attracts no attention here.

To Study the Plague. MADRID, Sept. 16.—The States Marine Hospital Surgeon Fairfax Irwin is here. He was sent from Washington to study the bubonic plague at Oporto, Portugal.

Gold Certificates Issued. WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—The gold certificates so far issued by the government in exchange for gold coin amount to \$54,359,480.

Hanged for Murder. HAMILTON, Ga., Sept. 16.—Hillard Brooks, a Negro, was hanged here Friday for the murder of Wm. Bankston, colored, one year ago.

Victims of Miners Strike. HINTON, W. Va., Sept. 16.—Eight hundred more miners joined the strike Friday. Nearly 3,000 men are now out.

Won the Golf Championship. BALTIMORE, Sept. 16.—Willie Smith, of Chicago, won the golf championship by the score of 215.

KRUGER'S REPLY.

The Transvaal Government Will Adhere to the Seven Years Franchise Law.

BUT WILL CONSIDER SUGGESTIONS.

In Reply to the Other Points the Transvaal Boldly Stands by the London Convention.

It is said the Reply is Couched in Polite Terms—The State Secretary Says As to Surrendering the Least Said the Soonest Menaced.

LONDON, Sept. 16.—A special dispatch from Pretoria says: "The Transvaal reply will be in the following lines: The Transvaal adheres to the seven years' franchise law, but is willing to consider and, if necessary, to adopt any suggestions Great Britain may make with regard to the working of the law."

"In regard to the other points of Mr. Chamberlain's dispatch, the Transvaal boldly stands by the London convention. It is said that the reply is couched in polite terms. "State Secretary Reitz, in the course of an interview Friday, expressed some doubt as to whether any alteration would be made in the existing franchise law, but said he believed a way should and could be found to establish an arbitration court. As to surrendering, the least said the soonest mended, remarked the state secretary."

The morning paper editorials regard the crisis as having reached its most acute phase. The Daily News says: "We refuse to believe that President Kruger is so foolish as to reject Mr. Chamberlain's moderate demands."

The Daily Chronicle, which appears



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again to Mr. Kruger "to accept while it is yet time and before England's terms become harder," says: "A force of the present terms will involve the ruin of the state over which President Kruger presides. The British government have played their first and second moves in the game and must perform the third and then the fourth. If Mr. Kruger haggles, the sinister conditions in South Africa will grow worse until a catastrophe is reached."

Other papers talk of the imminence of war and all the dispatches from South Africa continue to describe the military preparations on both sides.

The Pretoria correspondent of the British Chronicle says: "The Pretoria correspondent of the Times, in his forecast of the Transvaal's reply, declares that the Boers will lay stress upon the seven years' franchise law, though offering to consider British suggestions as to its working, and for the rest take their stand upon the London convention."

The Times says: "We can not believe that President Kruger will reject the latest proposals of the government, and we would remind him that even Mr. Morley has intimated the five years' franchise and urged him to accept the Cape Town conference."

Could Not Pass Examination. ANNISTON, Ala., Sept. 16.—Seventy-six out of 100 public school teachers whose papers were examined under the new law by the state board of examiners, had their heads chopped off. The head of one of the state schools failed to get a first grade certificate.

The Boston Gaze Out of Commission. MAINE ISLAND NAVY YARD, Cal., Sept. 16.—The United States cruiser Boston went out of commission Friday. The members of her crew have either been discharged or transferred to other vessels.

THE YACHT SHAMROCK.

She Sailed Over a Course of About 55 Miles in Three Hours and Four Minutes, Nearly Eight Knots an Hour.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—In a light breeze from the west-northwest, varying from six to eight knots an hour, Sir Thomas Lipton's yacht Shamrock sailed over a course of about 55 miles Friday in three hours and four minutes, or at an average of nearly eight knots an hour. The first half of the course from the Scotland light ship to the outer mark was dead to leeward before the wind ten miles. The last half was ten miles to windward, with three miles added for the tacks made, making a total of 53 miles. The 10 mile run before the wind was covered in one hour and 15 minutes, and the windward mark of 13 miles in one hour and 45 minutes. The total elapsed time shows that the Columbia sailed the same distance in her last race with the Defender at Newport 29 minutes, 44 seconds faster than the Shamrock. But there was more wind at the Newport race during the windward work, so the comparison is hardly a fair one.

The start was made at 12:12 from Scotland light ship, the Shamrock having besides her three lower sails, a spinnaker, club topsail and balloon jib topsail set. In the windward work she carried her baby jib topsail. She carried the second gaff which was broken on Wednesday. It was repaired at the Erie basin and returned to the yacht early Thursday morning.

THE VANDERBILT FUNERAL.

Short Services at the Fifth Avenue Mansion Preceded the Simple Public Ceremonies at the Church.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Funeral services were held over the remains of Cornelius Vanderbilt Friday in St. Bartholomew's Episcopal church. The church funeral was preceded by short exercises at the house, to which only

members of the family and close friends were admitted. Rev. Dr. David H. Allen, rector of St. Bartholomew's, officiated at both services. From the house to the church the funeral party included Mrs. Vanderbilt, her children, Cornelius, Gladys, Regina and Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney; Wm. K. Fredrick and George Vanderbilt, brother of the dead man; Elliot F. Shepard, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Sloane and their two children and Mrs. McKay Toombs.

At the church the service proceeded down the aisle by Bishop Potter and Dr. Green, the bishop reciting the first sentence of the Episcopal service beginning "I am the resurrection and the life."

The services were extremely simple. A choir of 60 mixed voices, under the direction of the church organist, Richard Henry Warren, sang the music of the service and Chopin's funeral march was played as the procession moved to the aisle. The only floral tributes at the church were from the members of the family. One great cross of roses, orchids and lilies of the valley and more than six feet tall, stood near the casket.

Mrs. Vanderbilt walked with her eldest son, Cornelius. At the close of the church service, the casket was taken to the Vanderbilt mausoleum, New York, Staten Island.

Large Export for August. NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—The record of August commerce shows the relation of this year's business to that of other years. Exports were 20 per cent larger than before in August and exceeded imports by \$37,928,690, partly because of exports of staples were \$3,305,978 larger than last year, but also because exports of other products, mainly manufacturing, were \$10,449,040 larger than last year.

A Hanging at Mohi. MOHAI, Ala., Sept. 16.—Henry Gadd, alias Gordon, colored, was hanged Friday morning for assaulting a ten-year-old white girl two months ago. The knot slipped and the condemned man fell to the ground. He was taken on the scaffold and the knot retied. The trap was sprung and the man died of strangulation.

Dropped Dead of Heart Disease. NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Assistant District Attorney James Grady, a brother of Senator Grady, died of heart disease Friday in the office of Former Police Judge Joseph Koch. Death was caused by heart disease.

INTERESTING NEWS ITEMS.

Adm. Schley has been assigned to command the South Atlantic station. The steamship Umbria, sailing for Europe Saturday, took out 497,000 ounces of silver.

Friday's statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, \$253,351,222; gold reserve, \$255,511,616.

The National Association of Traveling Railway Engineers adjourned at Cincinnati Friday night to meet next September in Cleveland.

Business failures for the week number 149, against 123 last week and 173 in this week a year ago and compare with 169 in 1897, 315 in 1896 and 219 in 1895.

McIntarland, of New York, Friday night before the Broadway athletic club, gained a decision over Otto Fink, of Chicago, after fighting 25 rounds.

The British high commissioner, Sir Alfred Milner, has issued a proclamation prescribing severe penalties for the commission of insurrection and other districts to rebellion.

In compliance with requests from farmers and dairymen in all parts of Georgia the agricultural department of Georgia has decided to begin a vigorous campaign against the sale of oleomargarine in that state.

The Danube is still rising and is now 470 centimeters above its normal level. As yet no serious danger threatens Vienna, but the railway station and the streets along the banks of the river are submerged.

A dispatch from Gmunden, on the river Traun, upper Austria, says that a suspension bridge over the Traun collapsed Friday afternoon while 20 men were engaged in endeavoring to strengthen it. Nineteen were drowned.

The Eastern Star, of Johannesburg, asserts that a martial-law proclamation is being prepared in the Transvaal. It is reported there that the reply of the Transvaal government to the British note will suggest a seven years' franchise.

Great Britain and Portugal, it is reported, are about to sign a convention by which the latter agrees to the former certain territory and stations in Portuguese East Africa. Germany, it is said, has also secured similar advantages from Portugal.

OUTRAGES AND MURDERS.

Almost Daily Stories Come From Villages in the Interior of Cuba—The Victims seem to Be Increasing.

HAVANA, Sept. 16.—The Diario De La Marina says editorially Friday: "Almost daily stories of horrible outrages and murders come from villages within cannon shot of the principal towns in the interior, which seems to show that the crimes are increasing. The persecution of industrious Spaniards is becoming more cruel and the situation is fast developing a serious character. We would urge the authorities to give their attention immediately to these conditions."

The paper gives an account of a Spaniard, living at Managua, who, though he has been there 10 years, is in charge of a local school, is menaced nightly by a mob that threatens to lynch him unless he leaves the place. It appears that many of the resident Spaniards are preparing to leave.

Heavy Sale of Wool. BOSTON, Sept. 16.—The Commercial Bulletin says: "There has been a busy, booming market for wool all this week and the actual sales have approximated nearly ten million pounds."

THE NATIONAL GAME.

Boston, Cincinnati, Chicago, Washington, New York and Louisville Were the Winners in Friday's Games.

Club.	Pitches.	Runs.	Hits.	Errors.
Philadelphia-Platt.	Orth.	9	10	0
Louisville-Walden.	Walden.	10	15	0
Baltimore-Howell.	Howell.	2	10	0
Cincinnati-Haverly.	Haverly.	2	12	0
New York-Doherty.	Doherty.	1	12	0
St. Louis-Powell.	Powell.	10	15	0
Washington-Evans.	Evans.	14	14	1
Cleveland-Schmidt.	Schmidt.	3	4	0
Brooklyn-Dunn.	Dunn.	2	3	0
Chicago-Garvin.	Garvin.	9	12	1
Boston-Willis.	Willis.	9	11	2
Pittsburgh-Chesbro.	Chesbro.	4	9	4

How They Stand.

Club.	W.	L.	Runs.	W. P. L.
Brooklyn.	21	25	67	45
Philadelphia.	21	25	67	45
St. Louis.	21	25	67	45
Cincinnati.	21	25	67	45
Washington.	21	25	67	45
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MARKET REPORT.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 15. FLOUR—Spring patents, \$2.00; extra, \$1.95; family, \$1.90; spring family, \$1.85; extra, \$1.80; family, \$1.75; extra, \$1.70; family, \$1.65; extra, \$1.60; family, \$1.55; extra, \$1.50; family, \$1.45; extra, \$1.40; family, \$1.35; extra, \$1.30; family, \$1.25; extra, \$1.20; family, \$1.15; extra, \$1.10; family, \$1.05; extra, \$1.00; family, \$0.95; extra, \$0.90; family, \$0.85; extra, \$0.80; family, \$0.75; extra, \$0.70; family, \$0.65; extra, \$0.60; family, \$0.55; extra, \$0.50; family, \$0.45; extra, \$0.40; family, \$0.35; extra, \$0.30; family, \$0.25; extra, \$0.20; family, \$0.15; extra, \$0.10; family, \$0.05; extra, \$0.00.



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